

**Building Renewal Grant Application**

**Initial Submission Date:**

**Application ID:** 566

**Resubmittal Date:**

Please provide as much of the requested information as possible. SFB staff will assist in developing required information that is not currently available.

**District Name:** Colorado River Union High School District

**Superintendent:** Riley Frei

**Contact Person:** Roni Hart

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**School Site:** Mohave High School

**Buildings:**

**Description of Problem**

Please include a detailed description of the issues, as well as a description of and a copy of any professional studies, citations or reports from government entities, recommended solutions, and any cost information or estimates. If additional space is needed, please attach.

In the summer of 2010, the U.S. Department of Education Office of Civil Rights notified the district of an allegation of discrimination based up accessibility restrictions for persons with disabilities in the facilities at Mohave High School. A federal investigator and attorney visited the campus immediately thereafter and identified several hundred items non-compliant with the Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. The district was subsequently required to enter into an agreement with the O.C.R. to correct all identified deficiencies by July 1st, 2013. The district immediately engaged legal counsel in an effort to compel contractors and architects to address the identified issues at each point with which they were involved. To date, the district has been successful in this regard as over 95% of the items are rectified. One outstanding item that remains the responsibility of the district is a concrete ramp (covered by carpet) in the hallway of the T-Wing area of the campus. At present, the slope of the ramp is slightly too steep for wheelchairs. In addition, the handrails on this ramp and the other 3 ramps in T-Wing are all too large in diameter and must be replaced. Consequently, the district will need to either remove and replace the entire concrete ramp or "cut and over-pour" the top and bottom areas to reduce the slope. The district has obtained written quotes for both alternatives and is willing to approve the lower quote. As the district has exhausted all efforts to obtain assistance from contractors and architects through legal means, it is now necessary to get this work completed in order to meet the timelines set forth by the O.C.R. We therefore consider this a top priority and respectfully request emergency assistance from the School Facilities Board.

**Project Category:** Surfaces

**Are any of the above-described issues in buildings or part of buildings that are leased to another entity, including a district sponsored charter school?** N

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### Available Funding

Current unencumbered building renewal fund balance (Fund 690):	\$0.00
Amount of Local funds planned for this project	

Please outline any associated insurance coverage.

**Liaison:** Breuer

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Superintendent Printed Name

Superintendent Signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_